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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Number	09/752,685
Filing Date	January 3, 2001
First Named Inventor	Shane J. Trapp
Examiner Name	Thanhha S. Pham
Group Art Unit	2813
Attorney Docket No.	M4065.0369/P369

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20** = <input type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> =	0.00
Independent Claims	-3** = <input type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> =	0.00
Multiple Dependent		

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	.42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	.42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\\$)

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	110.00
116	400	216 200 Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217 460 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218 720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228 980 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219 160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220 160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221 140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242 640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243 230 Design issue fee	
144	620	244 310 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	740	249 370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
179	740	279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169 900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____			
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
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Application No.
09/752,685-Conf. #9753

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Examiner
T. Pham

Art Unit
2813

Applicant(s): Shane J. Trapp

Invention: METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR PLASMA ETCHING OF A SELF-ALIGNED CONTACT
OPENING

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	43	- 70 =		x	0.00
Independent Claims	3	- 6 =		x	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					

Large Entity

Small Entity

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Group Art Unit: 2813

Filed: January 3, 2001

Examiner: Thanhha S. Pham

For: METHOD AND COMPOSITION FOR
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CONTACT OPENING

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED DRAWING AMENDMENTS

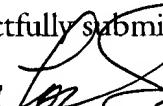
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Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant proposes the changes shown in red ink on the enclosed photocopy of Figures 1 and 2. Specifically, each figure now includes the label "Prior Art." The Examiner's approval is solicited.

Dated: October 7, 2002

Respectfully submitted,

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